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## PALATKA MAY HAVE \$10,000 EXPENDED ON ST. JOHNS SOUTH

### No Appropriation for River From Palatka to Jacksonville

Washington, Dec. 5.—From the sum of almost \$1,500,000 asked for the improvement and maintenance of Florida's rivers and harbors for the fiscal year 1924, \$10,000 is to be devoted to the improvement of the St. Johns river from Palatka to Lake Harney. There is nothing said in the bill for the expenditure of funds between this city and Jacksonville. The St. Johns river from Jacksonville to the ocean will receive the largest share of the funds asked. This project, calling for a channel 30 feet deep and 300 feet wide, has cost \$9,432,271 to date, of which \$552,096 is being spent during the current year. It is estimated that \$380,000 will be required to complete the project. The amount asked for 1924 is \$603,000.

On Tampa harbor it is estimated \$495,000 will be required. On this project which provides a 37-foot depth from the Gulf of Mexico up to and in the several channels of Tampa harbor, with widths of 500 feet on the bar and 300 and 200 feet in other places, \$5,056,956 has been spent, including \$299,935 which is being utilized this year.

For the Caloosahatchee \$35,000 is asked for dredging in the section between Benaub and Fort Thompson, which shoals during rainy seasons, due to caving in of the banks. Maintenance dredging also will be required in the channel between Fort Myers and Punta Rassa, on which work \$20,000 will be spent.

For Miami harbor and Biscayne bay \$32,500 will be required during 1924. The existing project provides for an entrance channel 300 feet wide and 20 feet deep from ocean to the bay. During 1924 work will be done completing the stone revetment in front of the wooden bulkhead, in rebuilding part of the north side revetment, rebuilding parts of the north and south side jetties, and in providing a boat slip, with small warehouse for engineer purposes.

For Sarasota bay \$5,000 is asked, which will be used in continuing the dredging in Long Key cut.

For St. Petersburg harbor \$17,000 will be required during 1924. The funds will be used in extending the south jetty shoreward about 350 feet, rebuilding the jetty and extending it to the 10-foot contour.

For Pensacola harbor \$20,000 is asked for 1924. It is proposed to remove 47,000 cubic yards of material from the entrance channel and make minor repairs to the dredge caucuses and the launch Arrow.

Other appropriations asked for Florida include: St. Johns river, Palatka to Lake Harney, \$10,000.

## Pomona Can Run Her Own Affairs As to Crossings

Two members of the city council of Pomona were before the county commissioners on Monday regarding two railway crossings near that place which the county commissioners had given a permit to the Atlantic Coast Line railway to abolish.

The delegates called the attention of the board that the two crossings in question did not belong to the county, but were strictly private crossings; consequently they were not subject to any official action by the commissioners. The Pomona people desired those crossings to remain precisely where they were, and presented a letter in duplicate which was signed by the clerk of the board recommending the previous action of the board.

And the Pomona delegates departed happy that those crossings were to remain intact in spite of the commissioners and the railway.

## BOY SCOUTS ARE BUSY: PARENTS SHOULD ASSIST

During the County Fair the Boy and Girl Scouts troops have a big job. They are to have complete charge of the auto parking space and numerous other duties, among which includes taking tickets at the "Johnny James" performances.

The boys will work in various shifts, all included within the hours from 2 in the afternoon until 11 at night. We hope the parents will do their part in making it convenient to have the boys available as much as possible.

RANDALL, S. M.,  
Troop No. 2.

## Merely Drippings

From  
The Thought Tank  
By THORN

### Get Your Answers In

The Gainesville Sun devotes considerable space to the query: "Why does a spinning top stand upright?" When that is answered in a satisfactory manner I'd like to ask this one: Why does a dog turn around several times before he lies down?

### Someone Was Well Paid

Six watchmen of a government warehouse in New Orleans, in which was stored choice liquors of various sorts to the value of forty thousand dollars, have been discharged because the assortment of liquors has disappeared. As the mysterious disappearance would net each of the watchmen about six and one-half thousand dollars I should say they made a nice deal on the transaction. All who wouldn't be willing to lose their job for \$6,500 please hold up their hands. No ma'am, I thought so.

### It's Nice of Daugherty

Heading in the Tampa Times says: "Daugherty asks help for the dries." I didn't think it of him, but

## FOUND TWO STILL NEAR SUTHERLAND TURPENTINE CAMP

### Fifty Gallons Mash, But Secured Only a Pint of Hootch

Deputies Minton and Cannon, of the sheriff's office, raided the territory around the Sutherland turpentine camp on Dunn's creek yesterday and apprehended E. J. Stokes, white, along with one pint of the white fluid, fifty gallons of mash, and two stills of small capacity. One of these was a fine copper outfit and was built for business.

Stokes' hearing will be held at an early date.

## Has One Bridge Completed and Is Hurrying Others

J. W. Conway, to whom was awarded the contract for all the bridges and culverts on the Palatka-Flora-home-Melrose road, was before the commissioners on Monday with his perfected bond for the work, and asked that he be returned his certified check he deposited a month ago. His bond was signed by R. L. Kennerly and J. J. Green.

He stated that one of the bridges was completed, and that work was being hastened on the remaining half dozen and the large number of culverts. He went at the job as soon as the award was made, knowing that his bond could not be considered until the regular session of the board, and has made excellent headway.

These bridges and culverts are on the same line of road for which bids had been rejected.

## "The Golden Snare" Will Greet the Grand Patrons Wednesday

A picture of the frozen north—a picture of the vast reaches of snow that covers the grown from Hudson's bay to the Klondike—a picture of the Northwest Mounted policeman who always "gets his man" is "The Golden Snare," written by James Oliver Curwood, an author without a peer in presenting life in the north country, which comes to the Grand Wednesday with a superb cast of players including Wallace Beery, Lewis Stone and Ruth Renick.

The picture offers tense moments because of its primitive action. It also offers moments of pathos and sympathy through the character of Bram Johnson, excellently played by Mr. Beery—a figure sought for by the Mounted for a crime enacted twenty years previously. It is a picture which presents strong and rugged men, vital situations, huskies which race over the white mantle of snow, trappers who mosh through the white expanse, and thrills and startling climaxes.

There will also be a Fox News.

NOTICE  
I am back in the city and resumed practice. DR. JOHN T. HOSEY.

he is sure showing that he has a heart. The dries need some help. I've been dry myself for a month or more, but the only help thus far offered seems to be in the hands of the profiteers and costs six-and-a-half per bot. If Mister Daugherty will suggest that the dries can be helped to a wonderful extent by cutting the rate to about three pinks his name will go down in history as the man who pulled the "pensive" out of expensive, and those who are now dry would remove the look of grouch from the front portion of their head, and we'd "all live happily ever afterwards." Take the bait, Daugherty.

### Should Be More Explicit

The writer of a scientific article says: "Ten minutes is long enough for an ordinary bath." He may be right, but it seems to me the time limit is too embracing. Something ought to be taken into consideration as to the lapse of time since the previous overhauling, as well as how comfortable the water may be. Sometimes there's a Saturday night missed, you know, in which event the next time succeeds in even making a brunette much lighter. That's all.

### Rom, Pom, Vbqkq

Man from north wanted to know what "compensation" we would give him if he located with us. I told him that when he bought bank stock he bought it at book value. In Flor really rom cmfwyp cmfwyp vbqkq ida we let him in at par, but really we ought to charge him a premium for allowing him to participate in our profits, pleasures and prosperity.

Certainly I wouldn't use that sort of language to my best friend—to say nothing of an entire stranger. If that man possessed any backbone at all he would either have wallowed the editor of the Region a couplin good swift wallops where they would do the most good, or else he would have would have left Lake county in disgust that such sort of lingo was a fad. Of course it may have been some of that unknown tongue stuff that holy rollers swallow and then rescind; but in any event it was a mighty mean proposition to fling at a new man in the locality. You'll say it was. Yassum.

### Oh, You Education

Fellow told me that he and his wife had driven through from the

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north in a coop." Yassum. Just like that. A coop. Really it wasn't half as bad, though, as it at first appeared; fr, by my halidome, she was s-o-m-e chicken. But it rattles erlong, though the road is rough pickin' they call it a "coop" 'cause it carries a chicken. Amen.

### Bryan Should Know

William Jennings Bryan has settled a great marital problem by his assertion that a marriage license is not necessary to have a wedding legalized—but he will have hard work to make the several states where marriages frequently happen concur in his opinion. Yo' see, we've gotten into such a habit of getting a license for almost everything—licenses for hunting, for dogs, for handling peanuts and persimmons, gowns and galoshes, condiments and corsets, an' everything—that every time we get married we run over to th' judge's office and get another license. Of course, Bill, there's a lot of lying about this marriage license business for it's awful difficult to get a girl or a woman to tell her age—and the age has a bit to do with the licenses of that sort; but no one is expecting the correct age of a woman who's father took her to the Centennial in Philadelphia in '76 when she was just three years old.

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## Big Eaters Get Kidney Trouble

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When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night—if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus often ending bladder disorders.

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I should say not, nossir, nit. But still these licenses are all right. One good thing erbout 'em is that they are the cheapest part of the wedding performance. Everything else is expensive, but the licenses still sell for the same figger. It looks to me as if Mister Bryan was trying to introduce some newfangled notions—but, thank goodness, he hasn't yet suggested that it needs sixteen licenses for one wedding. Amen.

### The Shippers' Graft

Warren Gamaliel Harding, President of these United States, Says he is not satisfied With the ship subsidy bill. And after all the trouble And vexations and distress And inconveniences and bull And tribulations we've been to. To give him the plaything.

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But Br'er Harding, president, Needsn't fee too durned proud Over his dissatisfaction? He's not the only one In this great big country Who's not tickled over it. I should whisper I'm right. Most of us ordinary people Think the ship subsidy bill Is a rich bit of graft; And I am prophesying That it will not be long Before a bill will be passed Giving a substantial sum To every dago in America Who sells "peanut-a-pop-a-corn," As a sustaining personal subsidy. Yassum.

I thank you.



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